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Officers

Selectmen

EDWIN M. ROBIE WILLIE G. MERRILL
HARVEY H. CONVERSE

Town Clerk

WILBUR G. FRENCH

Town Treasurer

WILBUR G. FRENCH

Auditors

CLESSON L. COVILL FAY C. MERRILL
CHRISTIE M. JOHNSON

Supervisors

CLESSON L. COVILL ARTHUR E. JOHNSON
ROBERT DANFORTH

Sextons

LEROY GRAY HARRY F. HUGGINS

Tax Collector

H. H. YOUNG

Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Pittsburg, in the County of Coos, in the said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said Pittsburg, on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Budget, and raise money for same.
2. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to hire money in anticipation of taxes.
3. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to distribute blank inventories at the time they examine and appraise the property to be taxed.
4. To see if the Town will vote to observe Old Home Day.
5. To see if the Town will vote to elect a committee to set the date and manage the Old Home Day observance.
6. To see what action the Town will take in regard to a skating rink, and raise money for same.
7. To see what action the Town will take in regard to Town Water, and raise money for same.
8. To see if the Town will raise the sum of \$300.00, to repair the Lower Bridge in Pittsburg Lower Village.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,000.00, in addition to the sum of money raised last year, for re-building the Town Sheds.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$300.00 to construct a road from the Foote property to the Whitcomb property.

11. To see if the Voters of the Town of Pittsburg will vote to raise \$2,000.00 to be laid out on Danforth Road for needed ditches and culverts, any remaining sum to be used for graveling said road with crushed gravel, beginning at the Daniel Webster Highway.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise \$1,000.00 to improve the Hollow Cemetery.

13. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to appoint all necessary Town Officers, not listed under Article 14.

14. To bring your ballots for the election of one Selectman for three years, one Road Agent for the Lake District, one Road Agent for the Middle District, one Road Agent for the Lower District, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, three Auditors, one Overseer of the Poor, one Library Trustee, and one Trustee of Trust Funds.

Polls shall be opened at 10 A.M., and not closed before 6 P.M.

Given under our hands and seals, this 23rd day of February, in the Year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Nine.

EDWIN M. ROBIE
WILLIE G. MERRILL

Selectmen of Pittsburg, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EDWIN M. ROBIE
WILLIE G. MERRILL

Selectmen of Pittsburg, N. H.

Town Clerk's Report

Amount collected for Automobile permits	\$ 5,903.84
Amount collected for dog taxes	24.00
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Amount remitted to Treasurer	\$ 5,927.84

I recorded 8 marriages, 8 births and 12 deaths during the year 1958.

WILBUR G. FRENCH

Town Clerk

Budget

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1959 to December 31, 1959 Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958.

	Est. Rev. Prev. Yr. 1958	Actual Revenue Prev. Yr. 1958	Est. Rev. En'g. Yr. 1959
SOURCES OF REVENUE			
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 682.41	\$ 719.44	\$ 719.44
Savings Bank Tax		23.43	23.43
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	83.22	79.57	79.57
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	12,922.96	11,839.78	10,000.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	58.77	76.56	50.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	139.00	177.00	177.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees		16.50	16.50
Interest Received on Taxes		135.28	
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:			
Water Departments	700.00	518.87	700.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,016.17	5,903.84	6,000.00
Sale of Town Property		185.60	
Amount Raised by Notes		30,000.00	
Revenue in lieu of taxes on dam	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
In lieu of tax on land		2,747.66	2,747.66
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	538.00	524.00	524.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	11.67	11.67	11.67
Yield Taxes	18,000.00	29,142.34	20,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 48,152.20	\$ 91,101.54	\$ 50,049.27
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			65,681.93
TOTAL REVENUES			\$115,731.20

	Approp. Prev. Yr. 1958	Act. Exp. Prev. Yr. 1958	Est. Exp. En'ng. Yr. 1959
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES			
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,563.90	\$ 3,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	250.00	216.39	250.00
Printing and Stationery	500.00	460.83	500.00
Town Office Exp.	75.00	308.57	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other			
Town Buildings	1,800.00	1,420.79	1,800.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	250.00	123.25	250.00
Fire Department	1,500.00	1,137.72	1,500.00
Insurance		384.43	400.00
Reimbursement		300.00	
Health:			
Vital Statistics	20.00	14.00	20.00
Auto Permits		246.00	250.00
Town Dump and Garbage			
Removal	250.00	180.86	250.00
Highways and Bridges:			
		384.89	
Town Maintenance—Summer	10,000.00	10,501.70	10,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	14,000.00	15,183.29	15,500.00
Street Lighting	1,000.00	934.56	1,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.		880.36	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	489.28	596.05	593.20
Libraries			
	700.00	700.00	700.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	250.00	488.00	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00	716.10	1,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Ass'ns.		150.00	
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	750.00	605.05	750.00
Recreation:			
Skating Rink		48.71	
Parks and Playgrounds, Incl.			
Band Concerts	400.00	337.20	400.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Municipally Owned Water and			
Electric Utilities	900.00	2,518.54	900.00
Cemeteries	750.00	449.35	750.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	500.00	18.13	300.00
Advertising and Regional Ass'ns.	425.00	420.35	425.00
Taxes bought by Town		568.99	

On Temporary Loans	425.00	326.39
Abatements		248.85
New Equipment		275.00

Payment on Principal of Debt:

Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	5,931.24
Short Term Notes	30,000.00
Head Tax	1,642.65

County Taxes	6,374.58	6,609.73	7,000.00
School Taxes	65,770.00	60,880.00	65,893.00

TOTAL**EXPENDITURES**

\$111,878.86	\$148,771.87	\$115,731.20
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Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Received from Ex-Treasurer	\$ 39,946.27
Remitted from Town Clerk, Auto Permits	5,903.84
Town Water Receipts	518.87
R. Poisson, Est. Pay. Severance Tax	300.00
Filing Fees	4.00
Colebrook Guaranty Savings Bank, Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Harry Huggins, Refund on Insurance	10.00
Sale of Town Property, Red Walsh, wood	10.00
Edwin Robie, adding machine	165.60
Raymond Stuart, wood	10.00
State of New Hampshire, In lieu of taxes on land	1,404.53
Forestry Dept, 1/2 fire bills	76.56
Interest and Dividend Tax	719.44
Savings Bank Tax	23.43
In lieu of taxes on dam	9,000.00
Reimbursement State Forest land	79.57
In lieu of Taxes on land	1,343.13
Conservation and Special Aid	11,839.78
Selectmen, Pistol Permits	12.50
Hollis H. Young, Tax Collector, 1955 Property Tax	107.87
1955 Interest	51.91
1955 Head Tax	5.00
1955 Poll Tax	2.00
1955 Head Tax Penalties	.50
1956 Poll Tax	4.00
1956 Head Tax	10.00
1956 Interest	.29
1956 Head Tax Penalties	1.00
1957 Property	1,312.49

1957 Added Property	10.98
1957 Poll Tax	82.00
1957 Yield Tax	6,164.16
1957 Head Tax	205.00
1957 Interest	82.14
1957 Head Penalties	20.50
1958 Property Tax	59,005.58
1958 Added Property Tax	53.20
1958 Interest	.94
1958 National Bank Stock Tax	11.67
1958 Yield Tax	29,142.34
1958 Head Tax	1,485.00
1958 Added Head Tax	50.00
1958 Head Tax Penalties	6.00
1958 Poll Tax	508.00
1958 Added Poll Tax	16.00
1958 Dog Taxes	153.00
Town Clerk, Dog Taxes 1958	24.00
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	\$199,883.09

EXPENDITURES

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,563.90
Town Officers' Expenses	216.39
Printing and Stationery	460.83
Expense of Town Office	308.57
Town Hall and Town Buildings	1,420.79
Police Dept.	123.25
Robert Poisson, Reimburse. Severance Tax	102.88
H. H. Young, Collector, Poisson	
Severance Tax	197.12
Fire Department	1,137.72
Insurance	384.43
Vital Statistics	14.00
Auto Permits	246.00
Town Dump	180.86
Summer Maintenance	10,501.70

Winter Maintenance	15,183.29
T. R. A.	596.05
Street Lighting	934.56
General Expense of Highway Dept.	880.36
Library	700.00
Old Age Assistance	716.10
Town Poor	488.00
Old Home Day	150.00
Soldiers' Aid	605.05
Parks and Playgrounds	337.20
Water Department	2,518.54
Cemeteries	449.35
Legal Expense	18.13
Advertising and Regional	420.35
Taxes bought by Town	568.99
Abatements	248.85
Skating Rink	48.71
Head Tax	1,642.65
Interest	326.39
Bridges	384.89
New Equipment	275.00
Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Bond Retirement	5,931.24
County Tax	6,609.73
School District	60,880.00
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	\$148,771.87
Cash on Hand December 31, 1958	51,111.22
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	\$199,883.09

REPORT ON YIELD TAXES To December 31, 1958

Year Levy	Original Warrant	Added Taxes	Remit. Treas.	Interest	Abate- ments	Uncol- lected
1957	\$ 6,079.91	\$84.25	\$ 6,164.16	\$11.24	\$	\$
1958	25,507.50		29,142.34			\$365.16

REPORT ON STATE HEAD TAXES To December 31, 1958

Year Levy	Original Warrant	Added Taxes	Remit. Treas.	Penalties	Abate- ments	Uncol- lected
1954	\$ 5.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 5.00	\$
1955	15.00		5.00	.50	10.00	
1956	35.00		10.00	1.00	20.00	5.00
1957	210.00	20.00	205.00	20.50	10.00	15.00
1958	1,850.00	50.00	1,535.00	6.00	60.00	305.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS As of December 31, 1958

	Dr.		
	1957	1956	1953
Taxes Sold to Town	\$568.99		
Balance Unredeemed Taxes		402.39	39.42
Interest Collected After Sale	—	—	—
Total Debits	\$568.99	\$402.39	\$39.42
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Remittances to Treasurer	—	—	—
Unredeemed Taxes			
December 31, 1958	\$568.99	\$402.39	\$39.42
Total Credits	\$568.99	\$402.39	\$39.42

REPORT OF PROPERTY, POLL AND BANK STOCK TAXES As of December 31, 1958

Year Levy	Original Warrant Polls	Property	Bank Supplement Warrant Stock	Polls	Property
1949	\$	\$ 19.69	\$	\$	\$
1954	2.00	19.01			
1955	4.00	125.15			
1956	10.00				
1957	92.00	1,372.81		2.00	
1958	640.00	60,325.34	11.67	16.00	53.20

Year Levy	Added Tax Property	Polls	Remittances to Treasurer Property	Bank Stock	Int.
1954	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1955		2.00	107.87		51.91
1956		4.00			.29
1957		82.00	1,323.47		54.24
1958		524.00	59,058.78	11.67	.94

Year Levy	Abatements		Uncollected	
	Polls	Property	Polls	Property
1949	\$	\$11.92	\$	\$ 7.77
1954	2.00			19.01
1955			2.00	17.28
1956	4.00		2.00	
1957	8.00	43.19	4.00	6.15
1958	30.00	26.60	102.00	1,293.16

H. H. YOUNG
Tax Collector

Library Report

Balance on hand January 1, 1958	\$	16.61
Received from town		700.00

Total	\$	716.61
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EXPENDITURES

Books	\$	146.94
Magazines		41.11
Postage		2.65
Supplies		36.00
Librarian		236.50
Cleaning		20.00
Cataloging		102.00

Total Expenditures	\$	585.20
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Balance on hand January 1, 1959	\$	131.41
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Selectmen's Report

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries:

Edwin M. Robie, Selectman	\$ 407.00
Willie G. Merrill, Selectman	221.10
Harvey H. Converse, Selectman	262.30
Keane Mousseau, Overseer of Poor	16.10
Phillip Young, Selectman	74.80
Cleveland Dore, Ballot Clerk	31.90
Ralph Huggins, Ballot Clerk	17.60
Chester Howe, Ballot Clerk	25.30
Robert Danforth, Supervisor	114.40
Fay Merrill, Auditor	28.60
Arthur Johnson, Supervisor	80.00
Christie Johnson, Auditor	22.00
Wilbur G. French, Town Clerk and Treasurer	550.00
Burnham Judd, Road Agent	8.80
Stanley Young, Road Agent	8.80
Clesson Covill, Auditor	28.60
Clesson Covill, Supervisor	101.20
Hollis H. Young, Tax Collector	540.10
Hollis H. Young, Ballot Clerk	25.30

Total	\$2,563.90
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Town Officers' Expenses:

Phillip Young	\$ 2.50
Harvey Converse	7.65
Stanley Young	12.00
Hollis H. Young	130.58
Edwin Robie	57.96
Willie G. Merrill	5.70

Total	\$ 216.39
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Printing and Stationery:

News and Sentinel	\$	386.63
Gerald P. Merrill		74.20
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Total	\$	460.83

Expense of Town Office:

Edwin Robie	\$	24.35
Brown & Saltmarsh Co.		96.12
Trading Post		3.60
Wheeler & Clark Co.		3.85
State Tax Commission		1.50
Remington Rand		172.15
Brannam Publishing Co.		7.00
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Total	\$	308.57

Police Department:

Phillip Young	\$	27.50
Coos County Farm		3.00
Ralph Huggins		35.55
Burnham A. Judd		5.50
Edwin Robie		51.70
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Total	\$	123.25

Parks and Playgrounds:

Isaac Brown	\$	32.00
Chester Howe		42.00
Tillie Howe		31.00
Keith Clogston		7.00
Edwin Robie		45.00
Daniel Hebert		91.57
Public Service Co.		15.76
Parkhurst & Sons		30.30
Billie Brunelle		14.00
F. W. Baldwin		10.40
Willie G. Merrill		2.20
Harvey Converse		13.20

Trading Post	2.77
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Total	\$ 337.20
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Town Hall and other Town Buildings:

Public Service Co.	\$ 137.31
Gulf Oil Co.	109.84
Harry B. Fiske	730.50
Isaac Brown	6.50
Harry Huggins, Ins.	57.22
News and Sentinel	8.00
Rodney Johnson	5.00
Harry Brown	5.00
Edwin Robie	3.00
Stewart Frizzell	10.00
F. W. Baldwin	6.57
Sargent Brothers	12.25
Colebrook Feed Co. (Coke)	324.60
Ralph Huggins	3.00
Burnham A. Judd	2.00

Total	\$ 1,420.79
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General Expense of Highway Department:

R. C. Hazelton	\$ 87.39
J. E. Faltin Co.	3.35
New Hampshire Highway Dept.	18.00
Henry Fournier	113.47
Columbia Steel Co.	358.15
W. H. Shurtleff Co.	300.00

Total	\$ 880.36
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Fire Department:

W. L. Hilliard	\$ 612.47
Public Service Co.	25.92
Ralph Huggins	140.35
Trading Post	35.01
Beecher Falls Fire Department	77.25

Fyr-Fyter Co.	82.27
Colebrook Auto Body Service	8.60
Gerald Merrill	15.40
Arnold Young	35.75
Burnham A. Judd	17.50
Willis Washburn	11.50
Clayton Young	2.00
Howard Young	9.50
Vernon Hall	6.00
Russell Hawes	7.00
Vernon Hawes	5.00
Warren Dearth	3.00
Bernard Covill	2.00
Colin Chappell	2.00
David Hall	2.00
Howard Blais	2.00
Edwin Robie	35.20

Total	\$ 1,137.72
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Refund on Tax Deposit:

Robert Poisson	\$ 102.88
H. H. Young	197.12

Total	\$ 300.00
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Street Lighting:

Public Service Company	\$ 934.56
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Town Water:

Bernard Howland	\$ 709.12
Leonard H. Best	731.10
Arnold Young	6.00
Town of Clarksville	52.50
Lindsey Covill	15.00
Bobby Ormsbee	1.00
Michael Anderson	1.00
Edwin Robie	16.50
F. W. Baldwin	9.75

Harry Allen	75.55
Mallet Anderson	4.00
Charles Towle	2.00
Public Service Co.	19.80
Trading Post	88.74
Burnham A. Judd	2.00
Robert Danforth	18.88
Parkhurst & Sons	30.30
Napeleon Covill	10.00
Bill Chamberlain	22.30
Clifton Clogston, Jr.	3.00
Isaac Brown	651.20
Everett Crawford	2.00
Willie G. Merrill	23.70
Richard Howland	11.00
John Merrill	12.10

Total	\$ 2,518.54
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Cemeteries:

Leroy Gray	\$ 37.95
Robert Gray	104.00
Harry Huggins	52.10
Edwin Robie	22.50
Chester Howe	15.00
Tillie Howe	11.00
Nelson Levesque	90.50
Fred Aldrich	9.25
Archie Judd	29.00
George DesChene	4.00
Clarence McKearney	18.00
Trading Post	38.55
Burnham Judd	17.50

Total	\$ 449.35
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Town Dump:

Farmers Feed Co.	\$ 20.50
Edwin Robie	5.50

Clarence McKearney	12.00
Archie Judd	14.50
Trading Post	2.79
Bernard Howland	107.57
Harry Allen	18.00

Total	\$ 180.86
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Town Library:

Daphne French, Treasurer	\$ 700.00
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Skating Rink:

Paul Thibeault	\$ 10.00
Fonroe Chappell	10.00
Vernon Hall	10.00
Trading Post	18.71

Total	\$ 48.71
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Legal Expenses:

Association of N. H. Assessors	\$ 3.00
Warren A. Bartlett	15.13

Total	\$ 18.13
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Insurance:

Harry Huggins	\$ 136.78
Marshall & Kent	128.90
Elsie Annis	118.75

Total	\$ 384.43
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Vital Statistics:

Wilbur G. French	\$ 14.00
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Auto Permits:

Wilbur G. French	\$ 246.00
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Advertising & Regional Association:

White Mountain Regional Assoc.	\$ 170.35
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Colebrook and Conn. Lakes Chamber of Commerce	250.00
Total	\$ 420.35
New Equipment:	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	\$ 275.00
Abatelements:	
H. H. Young, Tax Collector	\$ 248.85
Old Age Assistance:	
State Dept. of Public Welfare	\$ 716.10
Town Poor:	\$ 488.00
Soldier's Aid:	\$ 605.05
Taxes Bought by Town:	\$ 568.99
Head Tax, State of N. H.	\$ 1,642.65
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax:	\$ 5,931.24
County Tax:	\$ 6,609.73
School District:	\$ 60,880.00
Town Road Aid:	\$ 596.05
Payment of Temporary Loans:	
Colebrook National Bank	\$ 30,000.00
Interest:	
Colebrook National Bank	\$ 326.39
Perry Stream Bridge:	
Stanley Young	\$ 67.40
Hazen Young	40.00
John Merrill	39.70
Phillip Young	64.25
Atlee Mousseau	41.00
F. W. Baldwin	12.92
P. A. Hicks & Sons	69.92

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George Hilliard	41.30
Arthur Scott, Gravel	1.00
Director of Internal Revenue	7.40
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Total	\$ 384.89

Road Agent's Report

Upper District—Stanley Young, Agent:

Stanley Young	\$ 1,377.60
Roscoe Howland	327.10
Bernard Covill	19.00
Colon Chappell	15.00
Floyd Howland	170.00
F. W. Baldwin	10.65
Lee Fogg	93.00
Phillip Young	1,335.80
Arthur Varney	56.00
Robert Covill	1,058.25
Everett Covill	88.00
Tom Dorman, Sr.	84.50
Atlee Mousseau	160.00
Bernard Howland	770.80
Canaan Garage	14.27
Nugent Motor Co.	9.09
Ivan Young	20.00
Lloyd Day	127.30
Hazen Young	143.00
Grant Covill	92.00
Gary Covill	4.00
Alfred Day	63.00
Stewart Young	8.00
Leavitt Young	16.28
Annie Scott, Est., Gravel	1.00
New England Culvert Co.	75.97
Emile Bourassa	10.60
Robert Marsh	44.00
George DesChene	192.00
Arthur Scott	53.40
Arthur Scott, Gravel	56.70
F. W. Baldwin	5.00
Clark Brunelle	20.00

Bradley Haynes	8.00
Edwin Robie	32.80
John Merrill	36.50
Henry Roderique	12.00
Arnold Young	108.20
G. B. Currier	27.83
Beaver Falls Garage	6.60
Reginald Covill	53.30
Alfred Day	37.00
Scott and Blais	144.25
Roy Blais	103.00
Lindsey Covill	32.00
Trading Post	3.25
Emile Paquette, Gravel	13.50
Vernon Hawes	63.75
Treasurer of New Hampshire	82.81
Clarence McKearney	22.75
Clifton Clogston, Jr.	4.00
Laperle's Service Station	62.19
W. L. Hilliard	4.00
George Rancloes	6.50

Total	\$ 7,385.54
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Snow Removal:	\$ 4,624.84
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Town Maintenance:	\$ 2,760.70
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Middle District—Ralph Huggins, Agent:

Ralph Huggins	\$ 900.85
Tillie Howe	8.00
Edwin Robie	388.36
Lloyd Day	289.60
Arthur Scott	222.20
Roscoe Howland	413.23
Tom Dorman, Sr.	206.25
John Merrill	30.90
F. W. Baldwin	7.45
Grant Covill	9.00

Henry Fournier	1.50
Clifton Clogston, Sr.	8.00
Bernard Howland	1,579.75
Harry Scott	54.00
Tom Dorman, Jr.	110.00
Emile Paquette, Gravel	43.80
Burton Hall	5.00
Atlee Mousseau	64.45
Henry Roderique	58.00
Clifton Clogston, Jr.	17.50
Phillip Young	64.00
Colon Chappell	162.50
Oliver Johnson	88.00
Lee Fogg	59.00
Floyd Howland	205.10
Chester Howe	167.80
Bill Hilliard	19.00
Burnham A. Judd	14.00
George Bourassa	24.50
Emile Bourassa	8.00
Maurice Buck	3.75
Gilles Rancourt	3.75
Canaan Garage	23.70
Arnold Young	83.76
Nelson Levesque	4.00
Marshall Fish	4.00
Sam Marsh	40.00
Vernon Hawes	69.00
Richard Howland	1.00
Stanley Young	8.00
G. B. Currier	9.50
Poutre's Hardware	2.32
Brendon Grover	7.00
George DesChene, Gravel	16.40
George DesChene	228.50
Reginald Covill	107.40
Roland Roderique	4.00
George Rancioes	74.10

Hazen Young	49.00
Clesson Covill	6.00
Ambrose Masters	6.00

Total	\$5,980.92
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Snow Removal:	\$ 3,301.35
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Town Maintenance:	\$ 2,679.57
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Gray Road—Ralph Huggins, Agent:

Ralph Huggins	\$ 63.30
Lloyd Day	23.00
George DesChene	80.70
Colon Chappell	47.15
Phillip Young	43.05
Roy Blais	40.25
Bernard Howland	320.35
Roscoe Howland	47.15
Floyd Howland	2.00
Reginald Covill	12.00

Total	\$ 678.95
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Town Maintenance	\$ 678.95
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Lower District—Burnham Judd, Agent:

Burnham Judd	\$ 1,300.70
Robert Covill	317.50
Roy Blais and Nellie Scott	1,151.75
Roy Blais	289.70
Edwin Robie	208.50
Raymond Wheeler	108.75
Donald Wheeler	16.00
Claude Wheeler	16.00
Linden Wheeler	16.00
Burnham R. Judd	19.00
Floyd Howland	5.00
Harry Huggins	94.50
Fred Aldrich	45.70

Lee Towle	7.00
Larry Masters	10.00
Clifton Clogston, Sr.	2.00
Harry Allen	269.25
Charles Towle	11.00
Bernard Howland	628.20
Jules Robinson	2.00
Arnold Young	56.45
Roscoe Howland	60.45
Canaan Garage	27.68
Laperle's Service Station	27.55
Colon Choppell	82.60
Clarence McKearney	84.75
Perley Howe	16.45
Brendon Grover	15.00
Leon Chaloux	97.10
Leon Chaloux, Gravel	72.90
Leroy Gray	13.00
Marshall Fish	9.00
Allen Brown	3.00
Mallet Anderson	68.00
Tillie Howe	14.00
Chester Howe	23.00
Willie Judd	9.00
New England Culvert Co.	176.08
George DesChene	70.25
Poutre's Hardware	10.40
Burton Hall	14.00
George Rancloes	22.50
Gordon Covill	1.00
Tabor Gray	28.25
Donald Covill	63.60
Sammy Washburn	20.00
Wendell Healey	25.00
Gene Towle	16.00
Edson Bumford	29.00
Stephen Lord	14.75
Clifton Clogston, Jr.	8.00

Ivan Young	4.00
Archie Judd	82.25
Lloyd Day	143.00
Robert Gray	77.00
Phillip Young	70.45
Byron Furgerson	14.00
F. W. Baldwin	18.74
Trading Post	4.19
Emile Paquette, Gravel	19.50
Public Works and Highways	183.46
Keith Clogston	8.00
Billy Brunelle	3.00
Lovell French	8.00
Alfred Brown	37.00
Nelson Levesque	21.00
Oliver Johnson	6.00
Ivan Young	3.00
Ralph Huggins	52.25

Total	\$ 6,452.15
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Snow Removal	\$ 4,000.53
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Town Maintenance	\$ 2,451.62
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Middle District—Clifton Clogston, Jr., Agent:

Clifton Clogston, Jr.	\$ 55.00
Clifton Clogston, Sr.	371.00
Stewart Haynes	26.00
Colon Chappell	1,533.53
F. W. Baldwin	3.63
Lovell French	5.00
Phillip Young	5.79
Stanley Young	2.50
Robert Covill	6.88
Vernon Hawes	13.13
Donald Covill	4.00
Beaver Falls Garage	54.90

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Nugent Motors

46.15

Total

\$ 2,127.51

Snow Removal

\$ 2,127.51

New Hampshire State Department of Health

December 12, 1958

Mr. Wilbur G. French
Town Clerk
Pittsburg, N. H.

To the Citizens of Pittsburg:

During the year 1958, 9 visits were made to the town. In the Spring at the Triple Toxoid Clinics held in Colebrook, 46 children were Immunized, 13 started and finished the series of 3 injections, and 8 children received booster injections. At the Salk Vaccine Clinic held in Colebrook in June 73 children were immunized. 2 Children attended the Orthopedic Clinic held in West Stewartstown in May, and 3 children attended the Orthopedic Clinic in Berlin during the year.

It has been a pleasure to work with the Citizens of Pittsburg, and at this time I would like to thank them for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR KENNEY, R.N.

Public Health Nurse,

Coos County

N. H. State Dept. of Health

Auditor's Report

ASSETS

Balance in Treasurer's Hands	\$ 51,111.22
Five 1944 Series F Bonds, Matured in 1955	275.00
Interest on Trust Funds	420.82
Water Rent Due to Town	1,392.63
Uncollected Taxes Polls, Property and Yield for Previous Years	58.21
Uncollected Taxes 1958 Polls, Property and Yield	1,760.32
Uncollected Taxes held by Town under Tax Title	1,018.57
Uncollected Head Taxes for Previous Years	20.00
Uncollected Head Taxes for 1958	305.00
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Total	\$ 56,361.77

LIABILITIES

Due to Pittsburg School District	\$ 39,770.00
Due to State for Head Taxes	315.00
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Total	\$ 40,085.00
If Amounts due Town were collected and amounts owed by town were paid the balance would be	\$ 16,276.77

Pittsburg, N. H., January 30, 1959

We do hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Selectmen, Road Agent, Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Treasurer, Overseer of Poor and accounts handled by other individuals for the year 1958 and find them correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

We have submitted a statement of the accounts of the Town, which in our opinion, is a true statement of its financial condition.

CLESSON L. COVILL

FAY C. MERRILL

CHRISTIE M. JOHNSON

Auditors

Old Home Day Committee Report

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand December 31, 1957	\$	127.32
Received from Town of Pittsburg		150.00
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	\$	277.32

EXPENDITURES

Prizes for Parade	\$	45.00
Pittsburg Ladies Aid, dinners		25.00
Trading Post, supplies and transportation		93.40
F. W. Baldwin, supplies		4.10
Allen Noyes, transportation		25.00
Pittsburg School Band		50.00
News and Sentinel, printing		5.50
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	\$	248.00
Balance on hand December 31, 1958	\$	29.32

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF PITTSBURG, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1958

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund List first those trusts invested in a common trust fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested Whether bank deposits, Stocks, bonds, etc. (If common trust—So State)	Original Principal	Balance Beginning Year	Income		Ex'p'd During Year	Bal. End Year
						Percent	Amount		
1898	Thomas P. Judd	Improvement of Highway	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	\$1,060.00	\$216.92	3 1/4 %	\$41.82	\$	\$258.74
1936	Jeremiah W. Tabor	Care of Tabor Family Lot	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	1,000.00	30.31	3 1/4 %	32.76	30.31	32.76
1932	J. W. Baldwin	Care of Baldwin Lot	Farmers & Traders Nat'l. & Sav. Bk.	400.00	12.09	3 %	12.09	12.09	12.09
1944	J. A. Blanchard	Care of H. A. Blanchard Lot	Farmers & Traders Nat'l. & Sav. Bk.	500.00	15.14	3 %	15.10	15.14	15.10
1948	Myron L. Crawford	Care of Myron Crawford Lot	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	250.00	22.63	3 1/4 %	8.91		31.54
1936	T. F. Johnson	Care of Lizzie Johnson Heath Lot	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	100.00	50.93	3 1/4 %	4.93		55.86
1948	Geo. L. Wood	Care of Theresa Rowell Lot	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	150.00	4.54	3 1/4 %	4.91	4.54	4.91
1948	Geo. L. Wood	Care of Napoleon Wood Lot	Colebrook Guar. Sav. Bk.	300.00	9.08	3 1/4 %	9.82	9.08	9.82

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
February 2, 1959

HOLMAN J. AMEY
Trustees

School Report

March 1, 1959

Officers

Moderator

HARVEY H. CONVERSE

Clerk

CHRISTIE M. JOHNSON

Treasurer

CHRISTIE M. JOHNSON

Auditor

MILDRED E. TOWLE

School Board

ROBERT Y. GRAY

Term Expires 1959

GERALD P. MERRILL

Term Expires 1960

LULA M. BROOKS

Term Expires 1961

Superintendent of Schools

ERNEST B. DANA

Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Pittsburg qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March, 1959, at 10 o'clock in the morning to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officer or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with such other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to construct and equip an auditorium-gymnasium suitable to take care of all of the activities of the school.
10. If the preceding article is adopted, to see what sum the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction and equipment of such building; and whether the district will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the district for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated; and to authorize the school board to determine the terms and conditions upon which the notes or bonds shall be issued, including their sale, the time and place of payment of principal and interest, and in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act and any amendments relating thereto.
11. To see if the district will vote to appoint a committee of three to work with the School Board to carry out the foregoing measures.
12. If Articles 9 and 10 are adopted, to see what sum the district will vote to raise and appropriate to pay for the additional costs of janitorial services, fuel, lights, and insurance incurred with this building, and to make principal and interest payments on the serial note or bond issue.
13. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept, on behalf of the district, any or all grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire.
14. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Pittsburg this 18th day of February, 1959.

ROBERT Y. GRAY
GERALD P. MERRILL
LULA M. BROOKS
School Board

Superintendent's Report

To the School Board and the Citizens of the School District of Pittsburg:

Foreword

In spite of all the attention that must necessarily be given to quantitative education in our schools due to unprecedented annual increases in enrollments, more and more thought and study has been directed to the qualitative aspect during the past several months. As a result of this change in focus, expressed concern over the choice of subjects is shifting to the pupil, particularly, if he is believed to be a gifted one. Concerted effort on a broad scale is being made to identify talent and to determine the most effective way to develop it. Once again motivation, aroused interest, and academic competition are receiving high priority in our educational thinking.

With this re-discovery that the "old tools" still have that "temper and edge" essential to do a good job even in this day of automation, provided we are willing to pick them up and use them, has come a fuller realization that there is no substitute for sustained hard work. This is borne out by the relatively large number of pupils found in the upper and next quarter of their classes in academic achievement whose ability, in so far as can be determined, indicates that they should exchange positions. With the use of what are believed to be more reliable measures of intelligence, too, it is being found that the much talked about quotient is not as general as was at first thought. Increasing evidence seems to point to the further substantiation of what has been long observed, though perhaps sometimes somewhat reluctantly accepted, that genuine effort can and does compensate to a very considerable extent for the lack of ability.

If these educational findings are sound, which the passage of time seems to indicate, it follows that the same serious attention is needed to improve the techniques and standards in our schools just as it is needed to build a strong athletic team. Much monotonous as

well as hard work performed over a prolonged period of time is going to be required, just as it always has been, if every child is to be helped to realize his maximum potential. And the extent to which success is achieved in reaching for this high goal will be determined, largely, by the degree to which educational opportunity is associated with service to others rather than with the social and economic status of the learner.

Teachers

Four new teachers have joined the faculty at our school, three of them to fill vacancies and one to fill the position created by the addition of the Commercial Department to the high school. Principal Charles H. Morgan, a World War II veteran, who received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Boston University, and who has taught a number of years in this state, teaches Social Studies. Mrs. Katherine B. von Dohrmann, a graduate of Salem Teachers College in Massachusetts, and with previous teaching experience in this state, teaches the commercial subjects. Stephen E. Dehl, who has served several years overseas in the U. S. Army, graduated from the University of Massachusetts last June. He teaches Mathematics and Science, and coaches Athletics. Mrs. Doris J. Chappell, a teacher with a number of years of experience in the different districts within this supervisory union, and who attended Sargent College in Massachusetts, teaches Grades 5-6.

The teachers returning to again work with us this year with the respective subjects or grades taught include Mrs. Helen Barclay—English, French; Miss Alice L. Pillsbury—Home Economics, General Science; Raymond P. Stuart—Shop, Dramatics; Mrs. May F. Thi-beault—English, Social Studies, Mathematics—Grades 7-8; Mrs. Junie S. Aldrich—Grades 3-4; and Mrs. Eva S. Scott, Grades 1-2.

School Nurse—Health

Much credit is due our school nurse, Mrs. Ethel S. Sturgis, for the excellent health program conducted during the past several years. Including as it does in addition to the provision of the many daily and routine

services, such features as the giving of complete physical examinations every four years, the administering of periodic immunizations, and the conducting of annual pre-school and X-ray clinics, it contributes substantially in the maintenance and protection of the over-all health of our pupils.

As inclusive as are the many services rendered by the above program, however, the pressing need for a dental clinic becomes ever more urgent. As has been pointed out before, if this vitally important health service is not provided soon, it is feared that irreparable harm may result to the teeth of many children.

Enrollment and Attendance

For the sixth consecutive year the total enrollment is larger than it was the preceding one. A comparison of the number of pupils enrolled in Grades 1-8 and 9-12 for this six-year period, beginning with the present year, shows respective counts of 115 and 62, 102 and 67, 91 and 61, 87 and 49, 97 and 40, 89 and 31. Although the number of high school tuition pupils from Clarks-ville increased from 6 to 9 last year, it has dropped to 7 this year, while the number of elementary school tuition pupils from there has increased from 1 to 2. The average percentage of attendance for the past year was 95.32 in Grades 1-6; 94.27 in Grades 7-8; and 96.89 in Grades 9-12. The average number of tardinesses per pupil for the same groups was .11, .09 and .33, respectively. In light of the prevalency of the epidemics which occurred, both the attendance and the tardiness records are very good.

Notes on the Budget

The school board's budget for 1959-60 is \$68,393.00 in comparison to \$68,170.00 for the present year. This amount is reduced by an estimated income of \$2,500.00, which leaves \$65,893.00 to be raised by taxes by the town as compared to \$65,770.00 for the current year. The district is fortunate in not experiencing any appreciable increase in the budget during a period of rising costs and higher salaries.

Grounds—Building—Equipment

Thanks to the continued policy of keeping the building in an excellent state of maintenance, relatively little repair work has been necessary during the past year. Some painting of window casings and sash was begun, and new shelves, counters, racks and drawers have been built in the English room to more adequately accommodate and display books and magazines.

The janitor, teachers, and pupils are to be complimented for the well kept building and good condition of the grounds.

New items of equipment added include a typewriter and timer for the Commerce Department; record player for use in the teaching of English and French; tote drawer cabinet for storage of individual pupil's work in sewing in Home Economics; groover set, belt sander, and different small tools for the Shop; and such miscellaneous articles as were needed for instructional purposes.

Miscellaneous

We are very sorry to learn that, due to his health, it is not possible for Lynwood B. Peck to continue working with the school band in addition to his regular teaching duties at Canaan High School. A great deal of credit is due him for all that he has done for the school as well as for the community in developing this musical organization, which as does the choral group, contribute much to the over-all life of the school.

The large number of pupils taking advantage of the School Lunch Program indicates the popularity of this school function, which plays a very important part in maintaining good health in the school. The operator, Mrs. Helen A. Foote, through her hard work, has contributed materially to the success of this program.

Conclusion

I wish to express my deep appreciation to the members of the School Board, parents, teachers, and citizens

for all the assistance and cooperation received as we have worked together during the past year to provide and maintain high standards in our schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST B. DANA

Superintendent of Schools

Financial Statement

Receipts 1957-58

National School Lunch	\$ 1,137.79
Building Aid	3,300.00
Current Appropriation	64,880.00
Elementary School Tuition	100.00
Secondary School Tuition	2,315.01
Refunds	47.10
Other Sources	136.77
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Total Net Receipts from all sources	\$ 71,916.67
Cash on hand at beginning of year	
July 1, 1957	20.64
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Grand Total Net Receipts	\$ 71,937.31

Payments 1957-58

Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$ 315.63
Supt.'s Salary	600.00
Per Capita Tax	262.00
Salaries of other Admin. Personnel	531.83
Supplies and Expenses	715.48

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries	32,688.60
Books and other instructional aids	805.79
Scholars' supplies	1,641.29
Supplies and expenses	756.67

Operation of School Plant:

Janitor Service	2,613.75
Fuel	3,020.25
Water, light, supplies and expenses	1,512.98

Maintenance of School Plant:

Repairs and Replacements	573.45
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Auxiliary Activities:

Health	1,117.50
Transportation	8,490.00
Special Activities and Special Funds	180.99

School Lunch	1,137.79
Fixed Charges:	
Retirement and OASI	2,248.36
Insurance, Tr. Bonds and expenses	113.00
Capital Outlay:	
Lands and New Buildings	19.80
New Equipment	871.54
Debt and Interest:	
Principal of debt	11,000.00
Interest on debt	220.00
Total net payments for all purposes	\$ 71,436.70
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1958	500.61
Grand Total Net Payments	\$ 71,937.31

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Pittsburgh, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MILDRED E. TOWLE

June 30, 1958

Auditor

DETAILED EXPENDITURES 1957-58

Salaries of District Officers:

Mildred E. Towle, Auditor	\$ 10.75
Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	7.09
Gerald P. Merrill, School Board Salary	55.92
Lula M. Brooks, School Board Salary	72.73
Robert Y. Gray, School Board Salary	68.82
Christie M. Johnson, Treas. and Clerk	90.32
Harvey Converse, Moderator	10.00
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	\$ 315.63

***Superintendent's Salary:**

State Treasurer \$ 600.00

*In accordance with the laws of 1953, Chapter 243, Section 5, a breakdown of the total amount paid to the Superintendent by the State and the respective School Districts follows:

	Salary	Travel	Cost
State of N. H.	\$4,500.00	\$	\$4,500.00
School Districts:			
Colebrook	1,275.00	510.00	1,785.00
Columbia	175.00	70.00	245.00
Clarksville	100.00	40.00	140.00
Pittsburg	600.00	240.00	840.00
Stewartstown	350.00	140.00	490.00
Totals	\$7,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$8,000.00

Per Capita Tax:

State Treasurer \$ 262.00

Salaries of Other Admin. Personnel:

Barbara A. Davis, office work	\$ 143.00
Lula M. Brooks, census	73.31
Marion E. Wells, office work	256.33
Joan Shatney, office work	18.82
Albert Dalton, truant officer	14.66
Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	13.91
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service, Blue Cross	11.80
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	\$ 531.83

Supplies and Expenses:

N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., phone	\$ 250.71
The Sentinel Publishing Co., notices	13.88
A. H. Rice Co., office supplies	57.96
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	28.29
J. L. Hammett Co., office supplies	3.28
State Treasurer, Superintendent's travel	240.00
School Boards Association, dues	10.00
Gerald Merrill, transportation	4.00
Postmaster Merrill, stamped envelopes	19.80
and P.O. Box rent	3.60
Postmaster Ray Hicks, stamped envelopes	26.30

Colebrook School District, office expenses	27.70
Ernest B. Dana, office expenses	29.96

\$ 715.48

Teachers' Salaries:

	High	Elem.
Dana C. Moore	\$ 3,748.53	\$
Helen Barclay	3,084.40	
Alice L. Pillsbury	1,331.08	1,331.22
Raymond C. Smith	2,964.80	
Raymond P. Stuart	2,106.24	1,002.96
May F. Thibeault	437.91	2,148.79
Doris C. Fissette		2,474.70
Junie S. Aldrich		2,646.20
Eva S. Scott		2,332.70
Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	378.13	454.34
Colebrook National Bank, withholding tax	2,074.29	1,934.51
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service, Blue Cross	331.05	337.75
Lynwood C. Peck	128.36	102.70
Josephine Fearon, substitute		82.11
Mildred E. Towle, substitute	11.73	
Teachers' Retirement System	610.73	633.37
	<hr/> \$17,207.25	<hr/> \$15,481.35

Books and Other Inst. Aids:

Pocket Books	\$.56	\$
The Macmillan Co.	51.54	
Allyn and Bacon	2.56	101.96
Houghton Mifflin Co.	6.48	26.38
American Book Co.		29.51
Carolina Biological Supply Co.	21.00	
F. W. Faxon Co., subscription	5.80	
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	132.28	
Laidlaw Bros., keys and manuals		1.36
Follett Publishing Co., tests		3.55
The L. W. Singer Co.	71.24	124.65
Rand McNally & Co., maps	11.30	20.05
Remington Rand, folders	10.65	
Wilcox & Follett Co.	6.22	50.14
Caledonia Typewriter Co., carbon paper		9.00

Ginn & Co., World Histories	11.68	
Webster Publishing Co.		2.82
Lynwood Peck, music	12.00	11.00
South-Western Publishing Co.	2.38	
McKnight & McKnight Publishing Co.	23.93	
Cascade Paper Co.	5.75	
Scott, Foresman & Co.		50.00
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	\$ 375.37	\$ 430.42

Scholars' Supplies:

Charles E. Merrill Books, workbooks	\$ 8.02	\$
The Continental Press, workbooks, liquid maps	3.10	4.91
McCormick-Mathers Publishing Co., workbooks	33.60	
The H. M. Rowe Co., workbooks	7.54	
Ginn & Company, workbooks	53.05	
Civic Education Service, magazines	36.00	
Carolina Biological Supply, workbooks	24.75	
The L. W. Singer Co., workbooks		22.47
The Ruwe Pencil Co., red pencils	4.31	3.10
The Reader's Digest, workbooks		9.36
Brodhead-Garrett Co., supplies	10.20	20.37
Row, Peterson and Co., workbooks		.47
Gledhill Bros., supplies	12.40	24.77
Beaudette & Co., masters	4.22	4.22
Wilcox & Follett Co., workbooks		46.88
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	53.31	65.68
Cascade Paper Co., Crayola, etc.		53.35
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	30.00	216.62
P. A. Hicks & Sons, supplies	87.58	5.11
Frank Baldwin, supplies	143.97	
Bryant's, ink	.50	1.03
Scott, Foresman & Co., workbooks		182.70
The Art Center, tempera paints and brushes		9.70
Phillips Paper Co., supplies	84.02	
Tabor Gray, lumber	58.90	

Robert Wilson, lumber	24.17	
Scholastic Magazines, subscriptions	11.00	
Allyn and Bacon, workbooks		69.72
American Education Pubs., weekly readers		50.65
University of N. H., tests	16.80	8.00
F. W. Faxon Co., subscriptions	28.50	10.00
Junior Scholastic, magazines		15.40
World Book Co., tests	38.20	22.43
Treasurer, State of N. H., surplus property	2.80	
Howard Blais, trucking	5.00	
The School Executive, subscription	2.87	
Mainco Trading Co., supplies		3.29
Clifton Clogston, trucking	6.25	
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	\$ 791.06	\$ 850.23

Supplies and Other Expenses:

Raymond P. Stuart, expenses— summer school	\$ 133.33	\$ 66.67
Valley Forge Flag Co., flags	4.19	4.19
Encyclopedia Britannica, book		4.80
National Geographic Society, subscription	6.00	13.00
Chronicle Guidance Publications Service	35.00	
Dodd, Mead & Co., ref. book	2.29	
Education Progress Service, subscription & slidefilm	19.38	5.00
The Macmillan Co., ref. book	6.91	
Doubleday & Co., ref. book	2.63	
Webster Publishing Co., class books and science sets	2.25	9.36
C. S. Hammond & Co., ref. books		21.26
Cascade Paper Co., supplies		6.95
Helen Barclay, summer course	50.00	
Houghton & Mifflin Co., ref. books	3.30	2.07
N. L. & E. W. Kruysman, report card covers		6.10
Stewart C. Frizzell, tuning pianos	9.00	9.00
Fred L. Tower Companies,		

N. H. Register	15.50	
The College Blue Book, subscription	11.28	
Economic Institute, book	1.00	
Art Treasures of the World Selections	4.25	
Appleton-Century Crofts, ref. book	3.74	
N. Y. World Telegram, almanacs	2.60	2.60
N. H. State Fish & Game Dept., bulletins		2.28
Publishers Central Bureau, books	3.30	
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas	23.08	
The Boston Music Co., music	1.52	
Field Enterprises Education Corp., annual	1.75	
Laidlaw Bros., books		3.91
McKnight & McKnight Pub. Co., ref. books	10.92	
Chilton Book Division, ref. books	8.52	
The L. W. Singer Co., book series		9.20
Pocket Books, books	.84	
Supt. of Documents, ref. book	2.70	
Americana Corp., encyclopedia	200.00	
Eunice Washburn, pianist— graduation	25.00	
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	\$ 590.28	\$ 166.39

Janitor Service:

Maurice E. Hibbard	\$ 1,270.76	\$ 1,270.74
Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	34.10	24.40
Arthur Johnson, trucking	6.75	7.00
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	\$ 1,311.61	\$ 1,302.14

Fuel:

Charles J. Lewis, oil	\$ 1,510.13	\$ 1,510.12
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Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:

Public Service Co., lights and bulbs	\$ 600.53	\$ 735.84
The Procter & Gamble Dist. Co., soap	5.88	10.00

American Chemical Co., brushes	4.50	4.50
The Peck Company, towels	15.65	100.10
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., yarn heads	3.25	3.00
G. B. Currier Co., floor wax	7.45	7.45
E. F. Royal Co., brooms		3.42
Frank W. Baldwin	5.42	5.49
P. A. Hicks & Sons		.50

\$	642.68	\$	870.30
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Repairs and Replacements:

Max H. Woodrow, plastering	\$ 3.75	\$ 3.75
Lovell French, sanding desk tops	66.65	133.35
Ben's Foto Shop, repairs to projector	6.25	6.25
Fuller Bros., repairs and materials	37.34	37.34
Raymond Stuart, labor	119.75	
Daniel Hebert, repair cooler	9.45	10.00
Singer Sewing Machine Co., servicing	18.62	
A. J. Wiswell, labor on cooler	6.80	6.80
P. A. Hicks and Sons, supplies	47.10	
Caledonia Typewriter Co., repairs	10.25	
Robert Y. Gray, paint and brushes	25.00	25.00

\$	350.96	\$	222.49
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Health:

Ethel S. Sturgis, nurse	\$ 302.77	\$ 542.41
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Serv., Blue Cross	4.54	6.62
Nellie Scott, transportation— polio clinic	8.00	41.08
Dickson's Pharmacy, supplies		11.54
George Deschene, transportation— polio clinic		14.00
Dr. Parsons and Dr. Gifford, physicals		22.35
Dr. Bruce Kelly, pre-school clinic		12.52
Colebrook National Bank,		

withholding tax	25.20	58.80
Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	7.93	14.74
Teachers' Retirement System	13.50	31.50

\$	361.94	\$	755.56
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Transportation:

George Deschene	\$	888.00	\$	
Linden Wheeler		748.50		2,243.50
Chester Howe				616.00
Nellie Scott and Roy Blais				2,464.00
Edwin Robie		1,530.00		

\$	3,166.50	\$	5,323.50
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Special Activities and Special Funds:

School Lunch Fund	\$	401.21	\$	736.58
Clark-Harris, athletic supplies		4.25		23.46
Fuller Bros., gas		39.50		39.50
T. S. Dennison Co., make-up for play		5.28		
Howard Blais, trucking		2.50		2.50
Dana Moore, trip to Newport, Vt., and Concord		32.00		20.00
Bernard Howland, transportation— Concord		12.00		

\$	496.74	\$	822.04
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Retirement and OASI:

Treasurer, State of N. H., OASI	\$	539.50
Teachers' Retirement System		1,708.86

\$	2,248.36
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Insurance, Tr. Bonds and Expenses:

Elsie M. Annis, Tr. Bond	\$	10.00
Geo. M. Stevens & Sons Co., Ins. boiler		102.00

\$	112.00
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Land and New Buildings:

Robert Gray, school grounds	\$	11.00
Gerald Merrill, school grounds		8.80

\$	19.80
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New Equipment:

Donald Andrews, lathe	\$ 50.00
Cambosco Scientific Co., shop and lab. supplies	210.23
Brodhead-Garrett Co., shop tools	273.86
Treasurer, State of N. H., surplus property	34.97
Milton Bradley Co., paper cutter	10.52
P. A. Hicks & Sons, shop supplies	12.17
Fuller Bros., supplies	5.50
J. L. Hammett Co., filing box	9.29
Northern Office Supply, adding machine	140.00
Nina Tabor, typewriter	125.00
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	\$ 871.54

Principal of Debt:

National Shawmut Bank of Boston	\$ 11,000.00
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Interest on Debt:

National Shawmut Bank of Boston	\$ 220.00
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Budget for 1959 - 1960

(Compared with Budget of 1958-59 and Expenditures of 1957-58)

	Amount Spent 1957-58	Budget for 1958-59	Proposed Budget 1959-60
*Salaries of District Officers	\$ 315.63	\$ 480.00	\$ 480.00
*Superintendent's Salary	600.00	688.00	858.00
*Per Capita Tax	262.00	302.00	328.00
Salaries of Admin. Personnel	531.83	705.00	807.00
Supplies and Expenses	715.48	625.00	650.00
Teachers' Salaries	32,688.60	39,000.00	39,100.00
Books and other Inst. Aids	805.79	800.00	800.00
Scholars' Supplies	1,641.29	1,200.00	1,600.00
Supplies and other Expenses	756.67	650.00	650.00
Janitor Service	2,613.75	2,800.00	2,900.00
Fuel	3,020.25	2,100.00	2,100.00
Water, Light and Expenses	1,512.98	1,500.00	1,600.00
Repairs and Replacements	573.45	600.00	600.00
Health	1,117.50	1,200.00	1,270.00
Transportation	8,490.00	9,890.00	10,170.00
Special Activities and Special Funds	1,318.78	400.00	400.00
*Retirement and OASI	2,248.36	3,025.00	3,200.00
Insurance, Tr. Bonds and Expenses	113.00	205.00	380.00
Lands and New Buildings	19.80	500.00	500.00
New Equipment	871.54	1,500.00	
Payment on Principal and Interest on Debt	11,220.00		
TOTAL	\$ 71,436.70	\$ 68,170.00	\$ 68,393.00

* The starred items are required by law to be raised and determined by the proper authorities. The salaries of the district officers are determined by the district. A relationship which takes into consideration school membership and assessed valuation, determines the proportionate share of the salaries paid for each district for personnel employed by the supervisory union. The State Treasurer reports the amount of the Per Capita Tax. The Retirement Board assesses the amount for Teachers' Retirement.

ESTIMATED INCOME 1959-60

Tuition	\$ 1,200.00
National Defense Act	300.00
Balance	1,000.00
Total Income	\$ 2,500.00
School Board's Budget	68,393.00
Requested Appropriation	\$ 65,893.00

TEACHERS' CONTRACTED SALARIES 1958-59

Charles H. Morgan, Principal	\$ 4,500.00
Helen Barclay	4,200.00
Stephen E. Dehl	3,400.00
Alice L. Pillsbury	3,500.00
Raymond P. Stuart	3,800.00
Katherine B. von Dohrmann	3,600.00
May F. Thibeault	3,500.00
Doris J. Chappell	3,300.00
Junie S. Aldrich	3,300.00
Eva S. Scott	3,300.00
Lynwood B. Peck, band, per pupil per meeting	.25

REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE 1957-58

Grade	No. Pupils	No. Boys	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Number of Tardinesses
Eva S. Scott						
1-2	34	18	29.46	31.48	93.58	.10
Junie S. Aldrich						
3-4	31	18	28.97	30.46	95.17	.10
Doris G. Fissette						
5-6	26	14	23.94	24.62	97.21	.13
Alice L. Pillsbury						
7-8	13	7	10.78	11.44	94.27	.09
Dana C. Moore						
9-12	70	31	65.25	67.35	96.89	.33
Totals	174	88	158.40	165.35	95.43	.15

ENROLLMENT 1958-59

Grades 1-2, 33; Grades 3-4, 34; Grades 5-6, 32; Grades 7-8, 16; Total 115. Grades 9-12, 62. Grand Total 177.

TUITION PUPILS

Clarksville	7	Rate \$300.00
Fay Chappell	1	Rate 100.00
Fonroe Chappell	1	Rate 100.00

JANITOR AND SALARY

Maurice E. Hibbard	\$ 2,800.00
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NURSE AND SALARY

Ethel S. Sturgis	\$ 1,100.00
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TRANSPORTATION

	Rate Per Day	Pupils Carried	Miles Per Day
Edwin M. Robie	\$15.00	28	35
Linden Wheeler	17.00	52	80
Chester Howe	3.50	5	10
Nellie Scott and Roy Blais	21.00	33	46.4

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSBURG, N. H., DURING 1958

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 2	Cathy Ramona Grover	Brendon Adna Grover	Joan Mae Day
Mar. 4	Colette Monique Marie Beloin	Alcide Ernest Beloin	Yvette Leona Maurais
May 4	Roger Gordon Covill	Gordon Leonard Covill	Norma Elizabeth Lynch
May 5	Pamela Jane Gray	Robert Young Gray	Donna Adeline Bumford
June 29	Michael Everett Covill	Robert Dearth Covill	Margaret Crawford
Sept. 16	Neal George Hall	Burton Hawes Hall	Fay Anita Locke
Sept. 23	Normand Yvon Marquis	Leon Paul Marquis	Edith Delina Maurais
Nov. 28	Earl William Towle	Charles William Towle	Joy Celia Bresette

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSBURG, N. H., DURING 1958

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Age of Each	Name of Parents of Groom	Name of Parents of Bride
Jan. 29	Russell E. Brooks	20	Leo M. Brooks	Charles W. Holt
Jan. 31	Elaire C. Holt	19	Margaret Allen	Ellen O. Leary
June 14	Fredric S. Bumford	20	Edson M. Bumford	Willie Merrill
June 28	Sharon Merrill	18	Viola Doris Schoff	Margaret Berry
Oct. 18	Embert Alton Johnson	29	William Johnson	Guy Locke
Oct. 18	Ida Beryl Locke	23	Marguerite Terrill	Rena Harrison
Dec. 13	Eusebe Madore	26	Thomas Madore	Antonio Paquette
Dec. 20	Suzanne Paquette	19	Agnes Pelletier	Marie Rose Drouin
	Bernard Austin Straw	21	Merton Vaughn Straw	Ralph Huggins
	Marjorie Huggins	20	Irene Hann	Ruth Osgoods
	Gerald Edward Hann	20	Herman Hann	Ralph Huggins
	Eva Eleanor Huggins	22	Dorothy Owen	Ruth Osgoods
	Robert Joseph Biendeau	18	Philip Biendeau	Clarence McKearney
	Shirley Faye McKearney	16	Leonie Beloin	Mary Rancloes
	Claude Arthur Wheeler	23	Raymond Wheeler	Albert Gagne
	Alberta Annette Gagne	18	Doris Francis Chandler	Cecile Boudreau

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PITTSBURG, N. H., DURING 1958

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Condition	Place of Death
Jan. 16	Nellie A. Turner	62	Widowed	West Stewartstown, N. H.
Jan. 22	Eva Huggins Thompson	84	Married	West Stewartstown, N. H.
Jan. 25	Merton Hilliard	77	Married	Hanover, N. H.
Feb. 10	Leslie A. Andrews	38	Single	West Stewartstown, N. H.
Mar. 3	Martha Ellen Day	85	Widowed	West Stewartstown, N. H.
June 4	Fanny Clark Grover	78	Married	West Stewartstown, N. H.
July 6	Harry Dickey Farnsworth	77	Widowed	West Stewartstown, N. H.
July 19	Maude Alice Gray	71	Married	Pittsburg, N. H.
Nov. 10	Philias Hebert	53	Married	Riverside, N. H.
Nov. 13	Archie Roy Heath	67	Married	Pittsburg, N. H.
Nov. 21	William A. Huggins	82	Widowed	Colebrook, N. H.
Nov. 24	William Joshua Young	44	Married	West Stewartstown, N. H.

I hereby certify that the Birth, Marriage and Death returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
WILBUR G. FRENCH, Town Clerk

REPORT FROM THE WHITE MOUNTAINS REGION ASSOCIATION

1958 was a busy year for the White Mountains Region office, particularly in the information and transportation fields.

In view of foreseen drastic consequences, the Region took a very active part in representing our towns in fighting transport curtailment, particularly with regard to the railroads. We appeared at hearings in Concord, North Conway, and Littleton, and engaged in a considerable amount of travel and correspondence in the effort to prevent the Boston and Maine and the Maine Central railroads from cutting out their passenger service. While only limited success resulted, it should be pointed out that such curtailments will go through without even a delay if they are not strongly contested. We have also taken an active part in proceedings before the Civil Aeronautics Board in attempting to secure better air service for northern New Hampshire; the final decision on this is not yet in. In the meantime, we have worked with bus companies to publicize their service in the hope that bus travel may take up some of the slack.

Demands for White Mountains literature of all types continue to increase, and we have been considerably crowded to satisfy them. The new N. H. Montreal office, turnpike information booths, and new sources contacted while out of state have all upped the quantity of literature we need to distribute. As satisfying the requests for folders about our region means dollars to our towns, it is extremely important that we receive enough funds to supply the need.

We have continued our customary and tested programs of 4-H awards, Youth Awards in science, and of liaison with all types of organizations and departments who in one way or another are working for the benefit of our area and our state. We have confidence that 21 years has proved them worthwhile. We have continued to travel to areas outside our state to carry the White Mountains message, and have cooperated with attractions operators and others who are doing the same job in different ways.

We'd like to remind every town again in this legislative year that holding the line in taxes in New Hampshire will be possible to a large extent only as much as we continue to bring in out-of-state visitors to help finance our main sources of revenue (Ex: they pay over 40% of the gas tax and others). To do this, we have to continue to reach out and bring them in, and put up the small sums (which return many times over) that publicity costs. It's for our own benefit, and it **does** pay off. At a small outlay to any one town, an area publicity program operates that benefits **all** our towns. Our surveys in four consecutive years have shown consistently 2½ to 3 times the town monies coming back to the area out of just a few inquirers surveyed.

Your town's part in this work is important, and is appreciated. This is one way where we in New Hampshire can still do things for ourselves.

DAVID S. CASSEDY, Executive Sec'y.

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